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DETAILED ACTION

This office action is in respond to the submission filed 2/16/06. Claims 1-20 are presented for examination.

The text of those sections of Title 35, U.S. Code not included in this action can be found in a prior Office Action.

Claims 1-7, 9-12, 14-18, 20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Wick (us pat 6691162).

Claims 8,13,19 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Wick as applied to claims 1,10,14 above, and further in view of MacGregor et al (us 20050102382) (hereinafter MacGregor).

Wick and MacGregor are cited for rejection, in the last Office Action; the citations, which are applicable, are hereby incorporated by reference.

Response to Arguments

Applicant's arguments filed 2/16/06 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive.

In response to applicant's argument on claims 1,10 and 14 that the references fail to show certain features of applicant's invention, it is noted that the features upon which applicant relies (i.e., the management system function to evaluate, monitor and correct problem on a managed computer system) are not recited in the rejected

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claim(s). Although the claims are interpreted in light of the specification, limitations from the specification are not read into the claims. See *In re Van Geuns*, 988 F.2d 1181, 26 USPQ2d 1057 (Fed. Cir. 1993).

Conclusion

THIS ACTION IS MADE FINAL. Applicant is reminded of the extension of time policy as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this final action is set to expire **THREE MONTHS** from the mailing date of this action. In the event a first reply is filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the mailing date of this final action and the advisory action is not mailed until after the end of the **THREE-MONTH** shortened statutory period, then the shortened statutory period will expire on the date the advisory action is mailed, and any extension fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) will be calculated from the mailing date of the advisory action. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than **SIX MONTHS** from the mailing date of this final action.

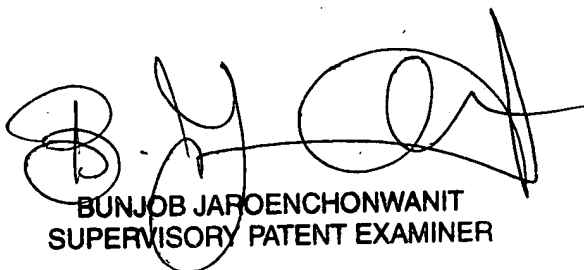
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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Bunjob A. Jaroenchonwanit can be reached on (571) 272-3913. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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